

Team Tutsham Charitable Trust



WHAT ARE THE HAZARDS?	WHO MIGHT BE HARMED AND HOW?	WHAT ARE YOU ALREADY DOING?	DO YOU NEED TO DO ANYTHING ELSE TO CONTROL THIS RISK?	ACTION BY WHO?	ACTION BY WHEN?	DONE
Vet medicines	Groom	All veterinary medicines kept locked away	Medicines can only be given if permission sought by Senior Yard Staff	Yard Staff	ongoing	
	Instructor					
	Employee					
	Apprentice					
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)					
	Allergic reaction (skin reaction - itching / rash / hives etc)					
	Dermatitis					
	Poisoning					
Fly spray	Groom	All chemicals stored in original packaging (with hazard warning labels)	Caution of others when spraying.	Yard Staff	ongoing	
	Instructor					
	Employee					

	Apprentice					
	Young people (under 16)					
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)					
	Allergic reaction (skin reaction - itching / rash / hives etc)					
Pesticides (rat poison)	Employee	All chemicals stored in original packaging (with hazard warning labels) All chemicals locked in chemical cabinet cupboard Signage on cabinets containing chemicals All staff to be made aware that only named/authorised persons can use specific/identified chemicals All staff to be made aware of hazardous chemicals/training on hazard warning signs (on the job training - documented on	If Yard Owner has used Pesticides they will inform everyone to take precautions.	Yard Owner	ongoing	

	POSSIBLE INJURIES	personnel record				
	Poisoning					
	Nausea and Vomiting					
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)					
Herbicides (weed killer)	Employee	All chemicals stored in original packaging (with hazard warning labels)	If Yard Owner has used Herbicides they will inform everyone to take precautions.	Yard Owner	ongoing	
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					
	Poisoning	All chemicals locked in chemical cabinet cupboard				
	Nausea and Vomiting	Signage on cabinets containing chemicals				
	Chemical Skin burns	Employees using pesticides/herbicides to have attended formal safety training				
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)	All staff to be made aware that only named/authorised persons can use specific/identified chemicals				
Paint / varnishes	Employee	Signage on cabinets containing chemicals	If Yard Owner has used Paints or Varnishes, they will inform everyone to take	Yard Owner	ongoing	
		All chemicals stored in				

	POSSIBLE INJURIES	original packaging (with hazard warning labels)	precautions.			
	Headaches / dizziness					
	Chemical Skin burns					
Creosote (or similar)	Employee	All chemicals stored in original packaging (with hazard warning labels)	If Yard Owner has used Creosote or similar, they will inform everyone to take precautions.	Yard Owner	ongoing	
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)	Signage on cabinets containing chemicals				
	Allergic reaction (skin reaction - itching / rash / hives etc)	All staff to be made aware that only named/authorised persons can use specific/identified chemicals				
	Dermatitis					
	Chemical Skin burns					
Grain dust (straw)	Groom	Personal protective equipment (appropriate dust masks)to be issued when working with dusty materials	Avoid doing Straw beds if you have an allergy to grain dust. Ensure good ventilation.	Yard Staff	ongoing	
	Instructor					
	Employee					
	Apprentice	Employees to complete health questionnaire to understand any allergies				
	Volunteer					
	Young people (under 16)					
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					

	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)					
Shavings (soft wood)	Groom	Personal protective equipment (appropriate dust masks)to be issued when working with dusty materials	Avoid doing Shavings beds if you have an allergy to wood dust. Ensure good ventilation.	Yard Staff	ongoing	
	Instructor					
	Employee					
	Apprentice	Employees to complete health questionnaire to understand any allergies				
	Volunteer					
	Young people (under 16)					
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)					
Mould spores	Groom	Personal protective equipment (appropriate dust masks)to be issued when working with dusty materials	If mould spores are seen, inform Yard Owner so they can be cleaned safely.	Yard Owner	ongoing	
	Instructor					
	Employee					
	Apprentice	Employees to complete health questionnaire to understand any allergies				
	Volunteer					
	Young people (under 16)					
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					

	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)					
	Allergic reaction (skin reaction - itching / rash / hives etc)					
Animal hair / dander	Groom	Personal protective equipment (appropriate dust masks)to be issued when working with dusty materials	Ensure all lose hair is swept up from the yard and disposed of in the muck heap.	Yard Staff	ongoing	
	Instructor					
	Employee					
	Apprentice	Employees to complete health questionnaire to understand any allergies				
	Volunteer					
	Young people (under 16)					
	Members of the public	First aid trained employees (who understand who may have allergies and appropriate treatment)				
	POSSIBLE INJURIES					
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)					
	Allergic reaction (skin reaction - itching / rash / hives etc)					
Certain food types (peanuts / nuts / soya / dairy - this list is not exhaustive)	Groom	First aid trained employees (who understand who may have allergies and appropriate treatment)	Be clear if anything contains nuts. Ensure you understand who, if anyone on the yard has a food allergy,	Yard Staff	ongoing	

	Instructor	All staff to be made aware of hazardous chemicals/training on hazard warning signs (on the job training - documented on personnel record)								
	Apprentice									
	Volunteer									
	Young people (under 16)									
	Members of the public									
	POSSIBLE INJURIES									
	Allergic reaction (breathing difficulties)									
	Allergic reaction (skin reaction - itching / rash / hives etc)									
	Allergic reaction (anaphylactic shock)									
	Nausea and Vomiting									
	Death									

THIS RISK ASSESSMENT MUST BE REVIEWED AT LEAST EACH YEAR TO ENSURE IT IS STILL VALID. (SIGN BELOW)

If you think it might no longer be valid (eg following an accident in the workplace or if there are any significant changes to hazards, such as new work equipment or work activities, increase or decrease in staff numbers) then a new or revised risk assessment must be undertaken

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